

A. J. MONTAGUE TO TALK
TO COMMERCE CHAMBER

Virginia Representative Will Speak on "Forward Washington."

Andrew Jackson Montague, of Richmond, representative in Congress from Virginia, will be the chief speaker at the monthly meeting of the Chamber of Commerce at Rauscher's tonight, it is announced.

The Virginia Congressman is known as an able lawyer and orator. A full discussion and explanation of the "Forward Washington" movement will be a feature of the meeting tonight, at which an unusually large attendance is expected.

The "Forward Washington" plans were discussed at a noon luncheon given at the Powhatan yesterday by Charles E. Bell, president of the American Security Trust Co. Those present heartily endorsed the plans for a bigger and more effective Chamber of Commerce.

Former District Attorney Henry E. Davis, in a short talk, declared that the present need of Washington is for a strong, representative Chamber of Commerce, which could truly speak as the voice of the city.

Col. John G. Capers, chairman of the committee in charge of the dinner to be held tonight, spoke briefly of the plans and made a plea for team work and organization.

About fifty persons attended yesterday's luncheon. They were the guests and personal friends of Mr. Bell.

Telegraph Tips

London, May 7.—Late returns in the Australian election indicate that the nationalist candidates have won, says a dispatch from Melbourne this afternoon.

Philadelphia, May 7.—After being shot four times by a guard on duty at the Girard Avenue Bridge, Patrick Reavy, 69 years old, died early today. It is said the aged man did not halt at the sentry's command. The name of the sentry is being kept secret by officers while an investigation is under way.

Philadelphia, May 7.—Charging mismanagement in the affairs of the Grand Fraternity, two members of the organization have filed a bill in equity here asking that a receiver be appointed. Fred Gaston, president, today characterized the action as unwarranted and "spite work." They do not charge insolvency and he predicted the case would be dismissed by the governing board at its biennial meeting June 25.

New York, May 7.—In a moment, and in the twinkling of an eye all shall be read on an undecoded passage in an open book beside the body of Mrs. Elizabeth Harman, widow of Maj. John Alexander Harman, U. S. A. With the Spartan spirit of a soldier's wife, she ended her life in a rooming house, she ended her life in a rooming house, she ended her life in a rooming house, she ended her life in a rooming house.

Elkhart, Ind., May 7.—Levy Smith, 65, believed to have been a wealthy Pennsylvania oil operator, dropped dead of apoplexy on a New York Central train as it was pulling into Elkhart. Smith was en route from San Francisco to his farm in Warren, Pa. Papers in his possession indicated that he was prominent in Mystic Shrine and Knight Templar circles.

Amsterdam, May 7.—The German naval base of Zeebrugge, Belgium, was bombarded throughout last night by allied airmen. Explosions could be heard in Holland from the direction of the port.

Rome, May 7, via Paris, May 7.—William Marconi, a member of the Italian mission which will go to the United States, is talking to America with him a bronze wreath, specially cast, to be placed on the tomb of George Washington in the name of the Italian nation.

Berlin, May 7, via London.—Odessa, in Russia on the Black Sea, was bombarded by a German airplane, being the first occasion in the war that a German machine has flown over this Russian seaport.

Newport, R. I., May 7.—Daniel F. Houston, son of the Secretary of Agriculture, is among the recruits in the Naval Reserve camp here. It has been learned, Mrs. Houston enlisted as a seaman.

Rio Janeiro, May 7.—Slight seismic disturbances have been felt in the States of Rio Janeiro and Espirito Santo, causing some damage.

MRS. L. B. SWORMSTEDT HOSTESS

Mrs. Lyman B. Swormstedt will be hostess at the afternoon tea today at the National American Woman Suffrage Association headquarters, from 4:30 to 6, in honor of Mrs. Frederick P. Bagley, of Boston, and Miss Mary McDowell, of Chicago. Both Mrs. Bagley and Miss McDowell will speak.

Mrs. W. E. Charlotte and Miss Mary Pefferman will preside at the tea table, and Mrs. Ernest Roberts, Miss Flora Wilson, Mrs. George Plallowood, Mrs. Frederick Haskin and Miss Martha Man-court will assist in receiving.

D. C. RECRUITING LAGS
IN ALL ARMY BRANCHES

Few Enlistments for Day Though Many Applications for Service Are Made.

Recruiting lagged yesterday despite the nearer looming of conscription. Efforts to interest men were continued with unabated activity, however.

The navy recruiting station, 306 Ninth street, accepted four men, which is nearly the daily average for the last few weeks.

The regular army, however, enlisted only one recruit, while the Marine Corps signed up only two. Five others made application for the regular army service at the recruiting tent, Seventh street and Pennsylvania avenue, and two others examined yesterday for the Marine branch, probably will be sworn in today.

The District National Guard, which has room for 500 more members, received only two additions to its force yesterday. Officers still believe that out of the scores who have sought information at one or more of the half dozen recruiting offices, many will return in time to enter the service of their country as volunteers instead of conscripts.

Efforts to fill out the ranks of Troop A started yesterday following the enlistment far beyond war strength last week of Troop B. Many of the men on Troop B's waiting list probably will be transferred to Troop A, but there will still be room for forty picked men.

Selections for Reserve Corps. Thirteen officers of the Third Regiment, District National Guard, were appointed yesterday to enter the Officers' Reserve Corps training camp at Fort Myer. Col. G. B. Young expects within a few days to designate twelve others from the Third Regiment to join the training camp.

Those already selected are as follows: Regimental Sergeant Major James Sullivan, Regimental Sergeant Major Francis P. Connelly, First Sergeant Walter C. Rathbone, Headquarters Company; Sergeant Herbert H. Balkan, Machine Gun Company; Sergeant Alfred K. Gilman, Company B; Sergeant Joseph A. DuBois, Company E; Sergeant William Pinkston, Company I; Sergeant Chester W. Buchanan, Company K; Sergeant W. A. Riley, Company L; Private Don N. Holmes, Company C; Private Robert Gustafson, Company D; Private Henry P. Ewing, Company G, and Private William M. Johnson, Company L.

D. C. Citizens Appointed. The War Department yesterday made public the names of thirty-six Washington men who have been appointed officers in the Reserve Corps. They are: Lieutenant, Infantry, Charles C. Rossier, Jr., 1214 Monroe street northwest; first lieutenant, field artillery, Ben B. Roon, 1241 Monroe street northwest; major, ordnance corps, James A. Dean, 1730 Seventeenth street northwest; major, engineers corps, Joseph H. Wheat and William Griffin, Geological Survey; captains, engineers corps, James W. Basley, Calvin E. Giffin, Alfred H. Brooks, Geological Survey; Clarence A. Peterson, Treasury Department; Thomas J. Powell, 212 Thirtieth street northwest; Melville P. Hite, Coast Guard Service; second lieutenants, engineers corps, Russell M. Harrington, 87 V street northwest; Elwood Keene, 104 Columbia road; captains, quartermaster corps, William MacQuillan, 205 Park road; Henry T. Standliff, depot quartermaster's office; William C. Harrow, Metropolitan Club; Arthur E. Williams, 261 Tilden street; Fred M. Fogle, 2715 Woodley road; captain, Signal Corps, William A. King, chief of the telegraph room, War Department; John T. Graft, 207 L street northeast; first lieutenant, Signal Corps, Harry T. Lewis, sergeant, Signal Corps, office of chief signal officer, War Department; majors, Medical Corps, Joseph M. Heller, the Marlborough Apartment; Fielding H. Garrison, 232 Thirtieth street northwest; Charles L. G. Anderson, 918 Eighteenth street northwest; Arthur C. Christie, 207 Park road; Abram B. Rees, 1220 Sixteenth street northwest; captains, Medical Corps, Matthew J. Shields, 1624 E street northwest; Joseph N. Bryan, 518 Seventeenth street northwest; John M. Boyce, 574 Thirtieth street northwest; Moses H. Darnall, 1012 Ninth street northwest; Edward M. Parker, 1736 M street northwest; John E. Devereux, Bradley Lane; Chevy Chase; first lieutenants, Medical Corps, William E. Whitson, 928 M street northwest; Howard Hume, 1217 Connecticut avenue; Charles E. Ralph, 98 Rittenhouse street; Adam Kemple, the Cecil Apartments.

Capital Takes on Grim Air as Men Don Khaki For the first time since the present war Washington has assumed the atmosphere of a war capital and everywhere the khaki of field service uniforms was seen.

The War Department has issued an order that all officers must wear their uniforms for the rest of the war. Some of the officers found it necessary to hasten home to doff their "citizens."

BOLIVIA AND GERMANY BREAK. Amsterdam, May 7.—Official announcement has been made in Berlin of a rupture between Germany and Bolivia, says a dispatch from Berlin today.

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108 NOMAD BUNGALOWS
TO BE ADDED TO CITY

Accommodation de Luxe Provided for Ringling Brothers' Circus Animals.

Real estate dealers of the District report great activity in building, but an addition of more than 100 bungalows in one day never have been recorded here.

Exactly 108 gayly painted bungalows, many fitted with plate glass windows, some boasting fireplaces, others having private baths and all wired with electric lights are soon to be added to the residence district of this city. These habitations are divided into two and three rooms each, every one has a special housekeeper and all are on wheels. They will not be "for rent" for the landlords filled them almost immediately after this year's string house cleaning. The "bungalows" form the homes of the Ringling Brothers' circus menagerie, which is to exhibit here Monday and Tuesday, May 14 and 15.

The "baby section" is a big feature of the menagerie this season, including two giraffes, several lion cubs, three tiger whelps, a baby kangaroo, five baby elephants and an infant camel. The giraffes are the youngest of their kind in captivity and were brought to America this spring from Abyssinia.

The circus is featuring a wonderful fairland spectacle this year entitled "Cinderella," which has been produced at a cost of \$1,000,000 and requires a cast of 1,250 besides the 300 dancing girls.

PRODUCTION OF COAL
TO BE STIMULATED

Government Needs First and Protection of Mines, Defense Plan.

Stimulation of coal production is the work laid out for the committee of the National Council of Defense on Coal Production, announced yesterday.

First sessions of the committee will be held tomorrow, when the first work will be the immediate measures necessary to guarantee a sufficiency of coal for all government purposes.

Tremendous increases in the production of coal are necessary to meet the actual war and industrial needs of the war against Germany, says this will be the work of the new committee. Steps will be taken to guard against even the slightest interruption at any American mine, also for improved freight transportation. Mine owners and representatives of the mine workers will be called in conference by the committee to reach an agreement which will preclude any danger of strikes during the war. Working with the transportation committee of the Defense Council the new committee will map out ways and means for more rapid movement of coal.

Factories working on government orders will be given priority by the committee in the delivery of coal after the government's needs have been filled. F. S. Peabody, of Chicago, is chairman of the committee, which consists of E. J. Berwind, of New York; W. W. Keefe, of Pittsburgh; Van H. Manning, of Washington; John Mitchell, of New York; C. M. McDowell, of Chicago; E. L. Pierce, of Syracuse; Erskine Ramsey, of Birmingham; George Otis Smith, of Washington; James J. Storror, of Boston; H. N. Taylor, of Kansas City; S. D. Warriner, of Philadelphia; J. F. Wellborn, of Denver; Daniel R. Wentz, of Philadelphia; and George W. Reed, of Chicago.

U. S. Navy Lacks 8,000 Men;
Army Still Needs 130,880

The navy last night was within 8,000 men of its total authorized strength, while the army needed 130,880 recruits to put the regular organization on a war footing.

Figures made public late yesterday afternoon showed that the navy has had a total net gain in enlistments of 2,900 in the last three days, while for Saturday and Sunday there was an increase of 2,431. The total number of recruits in the army since April 1 is 53,012 out of a total of 133,888 required.

There are now 92,332 men enlisted in all branches of the navy. Shortages in the fighting front, Hospital Corps and among apprentice seamen leave about 8,000 vacancies. These will be filled by the end of the week, recruiting officers predict, and the service then will be ready for the big drive for an additional 50,000 which Congress has been asked to authorize.

CONFEDERATE REUNION
NEEDS \$5,000 MORE

Welcoming Committee Sends Out Solicitations for More Funds.

Five thousand dollars is needed to complete the amount necessary to defray the expenses of the Confederate Veterans Reunion to be held in this city June 4, according to the reunion finance committee, and solicitations are to be sent broadcast in the four weeks remaining before the event.

The vice chairman of the finance committee, Milton E. Allen, said that as the people of Washington had contributed already \$22,000, and that the lowest amount for the success of the reunion has been estimated at \$27,000, he felt sure that by a little economy and solicitation among the business and professional men and women of this city, the wherewithal to finance the big welcome for the men in gray will be forthcoming.

Among the prominent women connected with the District chapter of the Confederate Veterans are Mrs. Hunter H. Loughton, who will be matron of honor, and Miss Elizabeth Shumate, maid of honor.

PATRIOTIC PROGRAM
FOR HARVARD CLUBS

Alumni Gathering Here to Be More Serious Than Usual.

The tentative program of the annual meeting of the Associated Harvard Clubs, which will be held at the New Willard June 1 and 2, was announced last night by George N. Henning, president of the Harvard Club of Washington. The club will act as host.

The program provides for an informal evening at the Willard Friday, June 1, when stories of the fighting in Europe will be told by men who have seen the battlefields. On Saturday the session will include addresses by President Lowell, of Harvard; Secretary of Agriculture Houston, Assistant Secretary of the Navy Roosevelt, Assistant Secretary of State Phillips, Charles S. Hamlin, of the Federal Reserve Board; Eliot Wadsworth, of the American Red Cross; Prof. F. W. Taussig, of the Tariff Commission, and A. W. Shaw, of the Commerce, Economy Board. The meeting will close with a banquet Saturday night.

This year's gathering of the Associated Harvard Clubs will be altogether different from those of the past. It will take the form of a big patriotic demonstration and will afford the alumni of Harvard opportunity to indicate their patriotism.

It was originally planned to hold the meeting at Buffalo, but owing to the outbreak of the war most of the speakers scheduled were unable to leave Washington. Therefore it was decided to bring the program to the speakers.

A meeting will be called within a short time, it is said, to arrange final details for the reception of the visiting Harvard alumni, although the date of this meeting has not been set.

ROLL OF HONOR

NAVY.
John Stuart H. Jeffrey, 1606 Lawrence street, Brookland.
George Albert Ford, 1424 A street northeast.
James Leo Shue, 3273 P street northwest.
Lawrence Raymond Bowles, Mount Ranier, Md.

MARINE CORPS.
William K. Brown, formerly of Rancan, N. Mex.
Timothy J. Shea, 202 Monroe street, Hoboken, N. J.

ARMY.
Richard R. Edwards, Mount Ranier, Md.

APPLICANTS AT ARMY TENT.
Seventh street and Pennsylvania avenue northwest.
Norman Duncan, 1644 Forty-fourth street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

NATIONAL GUARD.
Stanley H. Whitman, Laurel, Md.
Lewis A. Sisson, 303 D street northwest.

NAVAL RESERVE.
Frederick A. Webster, Catholic University.
Adolph H. Wicht, Catholic University.

David R. Wagner, 1629 Monroe street northwest.
Richard M. Venable, Charleston, W. Va.

Harold G. Truslow, Charleston, W. Va.
John S. Harrington, Catholic University.

Miss Carrie B. Sinclair, 3485 Holmead place.
David N. Hufsch, Alexandria, Va.

Goodwin N. Miller.
Miss Gladys Theresa Graves, 1236 Eleventh street northwest.
L. William Bailey, 309 B street northeast.

Robert McDowell, Louisville, Ky.
Louis E. Talbert, 1132 Florida avenue northwest.
Royal W. Wetherhead, Curtis Aviation School, Newport News, Va.

LIFE-SAVING SCHOOL IS
PLANNED FOR SWIMMERS

F. J. Brunner, director of swimming, yesterday announced plans for the organization of an inter-high school swimming association to study life-saving and conduct competitive swimming meets.

Under the proposed plan each of the local high schools would be represented by a squad of about twenty boys, each of whom would be fairly capable swimmers. The boys would train at the municipal swimming pools and hold meets there.

Mr. Brunner said no expense, except for suits, would be necessary. A series of ten dual meets is proposed, with an individual championship meet at the end of the season. Seats are now being provided at the pools for spectators. Only boys in good scholastic standing would be permitted to take part.

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Accompanied by senator Kenyon, of Iowa, N. D. Ely, of Davenport, Iowa, general counsel for the Walsh Construction Company and the McCarthy Improvement Company, both of Davenport, and the Dunn-McCarthy Construction

Company, of Chicago, laid the offer of these companies before Secretary Baker. In his formal presentation to the Secretary of War, Mr. Ely said: "I am authorized and directed by the officers of these three companies and their associates or subsidiary concerns, to offer their service, freely and unreservedly, to the service of the United States, for railroad or other construction work, new or repair, emergency or otherwise, in this country or elsewhere. Your attention is respectfully called to the fact that these companies, taken together, own the largest railroad construction force in the United States." About 100,000 men are now employed by these concerns. Thomas J. Walsh will arrive here today from Davenport.

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